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ASSIGNEE: Helius, Inc.

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents:

Enclosed herewith please find the following documents comprising: (1) a Response to Office Action; (2) a petition for extension of time and fee (credit card payment form); (3) a fee for additional claims (9 independent claims and 90 total claims); and (4) a return receipt postcard. Should additional time be required applicant respectfully requests the necessary extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in required fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0581. Thank you.

Respectfully, submitted this 5th day of May, 2003.

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents:

I hereby certify that the attached paper or fee (Response to Office Action) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee," Express Mail Mailing Label Number ER068925582US on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2003 with sufficient postage and in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE.

Signature of registered practitioner or other person having reasonable basis to expect mailing to occur on the date of deposit shown pursuant to 37 CFR. § 1.8(a) or person actually making deposit pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.10(b).

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